

CONNECTOR

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The student
newspaper of
the University of
Massachusetts
Lowell.Fox Hall
undergoing
renovtionsSteven J. White
Connector Staff

Fox Hall is presently undergoing a retrofit for a sprinkler system at a cost of approximately one million dollars. The upgrade in Fox is required under a new state law which states that buildings of seventy feet or higher and all new construction must be fitted with sprinkler systems by 1997. The new law also applies to Olsen and Olney Halls, which are scheduled to be fitted with sprinklers soon. Sheehy and Donahue halls were built with sprinklers installed. Other buildings within the university do not require the upgrade because of their accessibility by the Lowell Fire Department.

The cost for the Fox upgrade was paid for by a remortgaging of the loan and by existing capital. The ability to refinance the loan on Fox Hall benefits the university by taking advantage of lower interest rates, and benefits the students by not raising tuition, according to Andrew Scribner-MacLean of Residence Life.

Student Government
works on parking
problemMichelle Ross &
Bill Gregoire
Connector Staff

Many students who have classes on South Campus may have noticed that the Marginal Street lot behind Coburn Hall has been closed. This has forced many students to park illegally, and has raised some questions of safety. "If we had to get an ambulance into those lots, it would be impossible," said Dean King. "The parking situation is an absolute crisis."

The Office of Student Activities and Commuter Services receives a great deal of the students complaints. Frustrated students flock into the office daily asking for an explanation as to why they are forced to look for a space for over 45 minutes.

According to Student Government President Chris Doherty, parking relief is on the way. 100-200 additional parking spaces will be added to South Campus by relining the Vulkor parking lot. The fence on the far side of the Humane Society lot will be removed and that land will also be available for parking.

It has been decided that the Marginal Street lot will remain closed. There is a \$40,000 rental fee per semester and the State said it would take 180 days to open the lot due to surveys that must be done. The Vulkor lot



Students search for parking spots Wednesday morning after the recent closure of the Marginal Street lot on South Campus

renovations will be considerably cheaper and will make up for most of the parking spaces lost from the Marginal Street lot.

Doherty stated that he parking situation will be helped further during Spring semester, because the College of Arts and Sciences has agreed to space out their classes more evenly. Doherty added, "Part of the parking problem on South Campus this semester is that too many classes are scheduled around the same time frame. Too many classes are on South Campus."

Doherty went on to say, "Chancellor

Hogan and Dean King have been very helpful with alleviating the parking problem on South Campus. Student Government has also been very, very active ensuring that the students' voices are heard."

Doherty would like to hear any comments or complaints about anything in regards to the University. As he puts it, "Parking is just one of the many issues that we intend to resolve, but students need to share all their concerns with the Student Government." The SGA office number is 934-5006.

Great Canal Cleanup planned for October

Michelle Ross
Connector Staff

The Lowell National Historical Park and the city of Lowell are sponsoring "The Great Canal Cleanup," taking place on October 10 through October 31. The canal system will be drained by Boott Hydropower to allow for repairs and removal of debris.

Volunteers are needed to clear away trash and help remove weeds from the canal walls, which can cause gradual damage. Park personnel will clear any large or hazardous debris. Help is also wanted with registration at each site and with refreshments. Public Information Officer Audrey Ambrosino urges area residents, students, and other organizations to come and help the cause. "This is our first time doing a community cleanup project," said Ms. Ambrosino. "We need people to get involved."

The cleanup will take place on the weekends of October 14, 21, and 28. On those Saturdays, there will be two shifts. The first is from 8 AM to 12 PM, and the second is from 12 PM to 4 PM. "We do ask people to sign up for a four-hour shift," said Ms. Ambrosino.

Weekday projects are also planned. Although this is the first community cleanup, the canal has been drained periodically to do

repairs in the past. In order to drain the canal, the gates to the river are shut so water cannot run into the waterway. "This is the first time in a long time they've done an extended drain-down," said Ms. Ambrosino.

Five sections of the canal will be drained, including Eastern Canal, Lower Locks,

Merrimack Canal, Western Canal, and Lower Pawtucket Canal.

There will be tours as part of the event, as well as poster contests for children and various other activities. If you want to volunteer or would like more information, call the Lowell National Historical Park at (508) 970-5000.



Eagerly awaiting next month's big cleanup is this group of Canada Geese, found marching alongside the canal Friday morning.

Discover Lowell's textile history at the Quilt Museum in this week's Cultural Corner. Page 15.

The Happenings Page is your source for events on campus this week. Look on Page 2 every week!

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Tuesday 9/26

JOIN THE CONNECTOR

6:30 P.M. FOX 4
ALL ARE WELCOME.
PLEASE COME DOWN AND-
HELP US OUT SO THAT WE
MAY CONTINUE TO HAVE A
SCHOOL NEWSPAPER!
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Wednesday 9/27

MASSPIRG

7:00 P.M., September 27,
McGauvran SUB Rm. 334
General interest meeting. For
more information contact Don
at 459-5035.

Study Break at the Catholic Center

7:00 - 10:00 P.M.,
52 Colonial Ave.
On Wednesday nights the
Catholic Center welcomes all
students to come over for a
study break. Pizza and
refreshments will be served.
The Catholic Center is a com-
munity of students and campus
ministers working together to
nurture our faith life on cam-
pus.

Thursday 9/28

ATTENTION Clubs/ Organizations

"FAMILY DAY 1995" CLUB
BOOTH
THERE WILL BE A
MANDATORY MEETING
ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER
28, 1995 AT
4:00 P.M. IN FOX 401

Economics Club Meeting

2:30 p.m. in FA 302
Food and beverages will be
served.

Lifeguard Training

6:30 P.M. - 9:30 P.M.,
Thursdays, September 28 -
December 7,
Costello Pool
Successful completion of all
course requirements will lead
to certification by the
American Red Cross.
Certification also requires
completion of Standard First
Aid & CPR. For more infor-
mation contact the Rec Sports
Office in Costello Gym, room
313, or call 934-2348.

Hiroshima and its legacy

11:30 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.,
September 28
A Panel discussion led by Dr.
Gilbert Brown, Dr. Priscilla
Ellis, and a speaker on Nuclear
Proliferation in the 1990's
(TBA). For more information
contact Dr. Robert Gamache,
Center for Atmospheric
Research, 459-7505; or Dr.
John MacDougall, Sociology
Dept. x4303

ALANA Student Reception and Forum

The Office of Minority
Student Affairs (OMSA) will
host a reception in honor of all
ALANA (African -, Latino -,
Native-American) students-
from 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. in the
Fox Den, first floor of Fox
Hall. This is also a public
forum to share ideas about
programs and activities that
will enrich your academic pur-
suit and campus life at UMass
Lowell.
Call 934-4336, or you can
drop by the office in Room
336, McGauvran SUB on-
South Campus. We look for-
ward to seeing you.

Saturday 9/30

RiverHawk Midnight Madness

September 30, 1995
Tully Forum
Food, drink, open skating and
introduction of the 95/96
RiverHawk hockey team.
Doors open at 10 P.M.

Rock Climbing

9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.,
September 30
Windham, NH (leaving from
Fox Hall)
The cost is \$20.00 per person
including transportation. A list
of what to wear & bring will
be available in the Rec. Sports
office. All equipment will be
provided. Rain date is Sunday,
Oct. 1. Deadline for sign-ups
is Sept. 27.

MASSPIRG

10:00 A.M., September 30
Stream cleanup on the
Merrimack River. For more
information contact Don at
459-5035.

Off-Broadway Players(Theater club)

12:00 P.M.
Mahoney Theater
Auditions for the multi-cultur-
al musical, "Once on This
Island." for more information
call 934-5123.

Sunday 10/01

Catholic Mass

6:00 P.M. O'Leary 327
9:00 P.M. Fox Hall 301
The Catholic Center welcomes
Father Paul Soper to its chap-
laincy staff. Father Paul is a
native of Weymouth
Massachusetts and has a back-
ground in astrophysics. Father
Paul and the other Catholic
Center ministers invite you to
join us in worship, our out-
reach and social activities, and
in our communal life at the
Catholic Center.

Protestant worship service

6:00 P.M.
Fox Hall 301
Weekly Protestant worship ser-
vices are held at this time and
location. Campus Minister
Imogene Stulken works out of
Fox Hall, Room 608B, and
shares an office with the other
members of the Campus
Ministry Association in the
McGauvran Student Center,
Room 357. The telephone
number for the office is (508)
934-5014.

Protestant Super Supper

Following 6:00 P.M., Service
Christ Church United of
Dracut.
If you would like to make
reservations and/or if you need
transportation, please call
Campus Minister Imogene
Stulken at x5014.

6TH Annual Walk For Elders and Families

10:00 A.M. RAIN OR SHINE
The annual WALK FOR
ELDERS AND FAMILIES is
a valleywide community
response, by people of all
ages, to the hunger and long
term care needs of elders and
families in the Merrimack
Valley.
For more info, call the Office
of Community Service at
x3193, or
call Becky at the Food Bank,
454-7174.

Monday 10/02

Open Meeting: Presidential Search

4:30 - 5:30 P.M., October 2,
Oleary Library Rm. 222
The purpose of the meeting is
to provide Trustee Lewenberg
an opportunity to update the
campus on the status of the
search and to hear our views
regarding the UMass
Presidency.

Next Week

Art History Club

4:30 P.M. October 3
Coburn Hall room 300
Anyone interested in Fall club
activities is encouraged to
attend. Michele at 957-0516.

Who's Who AMONG STUDENTS IN AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

Applications will be available
on Monday, October 2, 1995 at
the North and South Student
Information Centers and the
S.G.A. Office, Fox 411.
The deadline is Friday,
October 27, 1995. Criteria are
based on academic achieve-
ment, service to the communi-
ty, leadership in co-curricular
activities, and potential for
continued success.
If you are interested in being
considered for this prestigious
award, be sure to fill out an
application before the dead-
line.

All Students with Disabilities:

We would like to invite you to
our first meeting in room 334
on Tuesday, October 3 from
3:00 to 4:00 p.m.
Refreshments will be served.
The meeting is meant to be
informal and informative.
Come with a friend, your ideas
and comments.

Attention Jewish Students

You are invited to attend High
Holiday Services at Temple
Beth El, 105 Princeton Blvd.,
Lowell, MA, just above South
Campus on the corner of
Stevens Street and Princeton
Blvd.
YOM KIPPUR
October 3, 1995 Kol Nidre
Service 5:30 p.m.
October 4, 1995 Wednesday
Morning Service 9:00 a.m.

ATTENTION Clubs/ Organizations

ANY CLUB/ORGANIZA-
TION THAT RECEIVES
FUNDS FROM STUDENT
GOVERNMENT OR HAS A
CLUB ACCOUNT
THROUGH THE STUDENT
ACTIVITIES BUSINESS
OFFICE MUST ATTEND A
TREASURER'S WORKSHOP.
THE FOLLOWING WORK-
SHOPS HAVE BEEN
SCHEDULED SO FAR:

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1995
FOX 301
4:00 - 5:30 P.M.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1995
MCGAUVRAN 334
4:00 - 5:30 P.M.
THIS WORKSHOP IS
MANDATORY, YOU MUST
ATTEND ONE OF THESE
SESSIONS.

News Briefs

Sex Aggressors Later Harassers ?

Los Angeles (CPS) - A new study suggests that men who are sexually aggressive may give clues on their eventual behavior earlier in life.

Psychologists at the University of California at Los Angeles have found that men who dominate and mistreat women when they are young may have a tendency to commit sexual harassment and sexual assault later in life.

The study, authored by Neil Malmuth, traced the behavioral tendencies of 172 men for 10 years.

Malmuth listed risk characteristics of each man, ranking them in numerous categories, including: the acceptance of hostility of violence against women; general hostility; sexual appetite; exaggerated masculinity; Impersonal sex; and others.

Malmuth found that eight of the nine men who topped the risk characteristics admitted to being sexually aggressive towards women.

UV Food Worker Hides Campus Newspaper

Charlottesville, Va. (CPS) - A disgruntled food services worker stole 4,000 copies of the University of Virginia's student paper after reading a story that was critical of campus food.

John Darmstadt, district manger of ARAMark, the UV's food provider, took the copies of the Daily Cavalier because he felt his company was maligned in a student's column.

The article in question, entitled "Beware of Inedible Horrors Lurking in University's Dining Halls," was a tongue-in-check critique of the food served by ARAMark on campus.

When Cavalier staff members spotted the empty newspaper bins near a campus cafeteria on Saturday, August 26, they approached Darmstadt, who told them he was unhappy with the critique but didn't admit to taking the papers. After the Daily Cavalier staff ordered more copies of the paper to be printed, campus police began to look into the matter. Darmstadt later admitted to taking the papers and locking them in an office.

Darmstadt issued a letter of apology and distributed the papers on Saturday evening and Sunday.

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POLICE LOG

Ryan Talbot

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

- 00:34- Cracked pane, Cumnock Hall entrance.
- 07:10- Fire alarm making noise, Donahue Hall.
- 13:42- Hit & run, Riverside lot.
- 16:17- Assist L.P.D with an accident, University and Fourth.
- 19:41- Domestic dispute, Riverside lot.
- 20:22- Assist L.P.D with a large party, Plymouth St.
- 23:07- Suspicious vehicle reported, Riverside St. area. Unfounded.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

- 02:00- Vehicle on it's side, Lovejoy lot. VW Rabbit.
- 02:51- Vehicle stop, Standish St. Verbal warning.
- 03:00- Vehicle stop, Pawtucket St. Written citation.
- 03:18- Vehicle stop, Pawtucket St. Written warning.
- 08:32- B & E into two vehicles, Pawtucket St. by Leitch Hall.
- 16:37- Vehicle stop, VFW highway. Written warning.
- 22:51- Medical call, Bourgeois Hall. UML-EMS responded.
- 23:59- B & E and larceny from a vehicle, Donahue lot. Radio taken.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

- 03:25- Reported fight in progress, Bourgeois lot. Unfounded.
- 16:25- Recovered stolen vehicle at Tully Forum lot, an ECOLAB service truck. Stoneham PD notified.
- 18:20- Larceny of a vehicle from Olsen lot. An AMC Wrangler. Vehicle later recovered in Lawrence on 9/15/95.
- 20:42- Vehicle stop, Pawtucket at Merrimack. Verbal warning.
- 21:13- Minor accident involving a UMLPD cruiser, Perkins at Cabot. The other driver disregarded a stop sign.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

- 02:45- Medical call, Donahue Hall. UML-EMS & Trinity responded.
- 11:16- Car blocking access in Lovejoy lot towed away.
- 14:30- Report of someone going through cars, Lovejoy lot. Person warned off property.
- 16:38- Harassing phone calls, Donahue Hall.
- 16:42- Report of several children 12 to 13 years old attempting to B & E into a vehicle. Unable to locate.
- 19:37- Medical call, Donahue Hall. UML-EMS & Trinity responded.
- 21:04- Vehicle stop, Charter gas station. Verbal warning.
- 23:16- Medical call, Bourgeois Hall. UML-EMS & Trinity responded.
- 23:35- Harassing phone calls, various rooms

in Concordia Hall.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

- 00:01- Medical call, Bourgeois RD office. UML-EMS responded.
- 12:52- Vehicle blocking, Vulkor lot.
- 15:26- Harassing phone calls, Donahue Hall.
- 20:01- One juvenile under arrest, rear of Olsen building outside. L . P . D warrant.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

- 12:35- Medical call, South Campus Quad by Rolfe St. UML-EMS & Trinity responded.
- 19:52- Vehicle stop, Falmouth St. Citation issued.
- 20:40- Medical call, Fox Hall. UML-EMS & Trinity responded.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

- 00:16- Report of people on roof of the South Campus cafeteria. GOA.
- 18:44- Hit & run, Plymouth lot.
- 19:41- Assist L.P.D, VFW & Plymouth St.
- 21:17- Vehicle stop, Sparks St. near ballfield. One under arrest, Jeff Difulvio 3/30/62. Operating after suspension.
- 22:29- Medical call, Leitch Hall. UML-EMS responded.
- 23:11- Medical call, Cumnock Hall. UML-EMS responded.

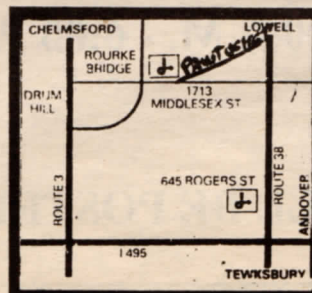
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ALUMNI ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIPS

Students who wish to apply for the UMass Lowell Alumni Association Scholarships should stop by the Alumni Association Office, the Financial Aid Office or the individual college dean's office to pick up an application.

Scholarships will be awarded in January for the second semester.

Applications must be returned to the Alumni Office in the Alumni Memorial Library building second floor, by November 22, 1995.

If you need more information, please contact Marianne Dabekis in the Alumni Office at Ext. 3239.

LIBRARY HOURS LYDON AND O'LEARY LIBRARIES

SUNDAY	1:00 P.M. - MIDNIGHT
MONDAY	7:30 A.M. - MIDNIGHT
TUESDAY	7:30 A.M. - MIDNIGHT
WEDNESDAY	7:30 A.M. - MIDNIGHT
THURSDAY	7:30 A.M. - MIDNIGHT
FRIDAY	7:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.
SATURDAY	10:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.

HOLIDAY HOURS WILL BE POSTED

Working for the Connector is the most
fun you can have with your clothes
on!!

Meetings:
Tuesdays - 6:30 pm
Fox Hall Rm.426

**ARTISTS NEEDED
TO PROVIDE
ENTERTAINMENT
DURING THE
CULTURAL ENCOUNTER
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12,
1995
ON THE SOUTH CAMPUS
QUAD
11:00 - 4:00
IF YOU'RE INTERESTED,
PLEASE LEAVE YOUR NAME,
TELEPHONE NUMBER, AND
TYPE OF ACT WITH THE
STUDENT ACTIVITIES
OFFICE
McGAUDRAN, SOUTH
CAMPUS**



STUDENT ASSISTANTS

The Center for Diversity and Pluralism and the Office of Minority Students Affairs are looking for students who are interested in and share common concerns about diversity issues in higher education to assist the Center and the Office in various projects facilitated by faculty, staff, and students. Applicants must have experience with Microsoft Word, Excel, and Aldus Pagemaker for Macintosh computer, can type at least 60 words/minute, and are available to work between 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. These are 18 hrs/wk positions with no benefits.

Application Deadline: September 29, 1995

Please mail or fax resume with references to: Dr. Lan T. Pho, 336 McGauvran Student Union, South Campus

Fax: 934-3019

Honors program up and running

Not just running — more like sprinting! The university-wide Honors Program has, to everyone's delight, really taken off this semester. As this is being written, we have nearly a hundred students enrolled, including some 84 newcomers and over a dozen of last year's freshman students who took departmental Honors courses. We are currently offering 8 freshman Honors courses (including the obligatory 42.101 College Writing I, which has two sections for first-year Honors students) and 5 sophomore Honors courses (including the obligatory 59.259 Honors Colloquium I on the theme City as Text — Lowell), plus at least 3 courses that are being offered as "Contract Honors" courses. We're just at the beginning of the third week in this semester, and already a group of second-year Honors students from the colloquium went on a spur-of-the-moment field trip to view the standing stones at LeBlanc Park, one of the highest points overlooking Lowell. There is quite some mystery about these carefully aligned, tooled, massive rocks, and argument still rages over whether they constitute a prehistoric monument site, or were erected at the end of the 14th century, or are of quite recent origin with the arrangement dating back to only about 150 years ago. At any rate, it is intriguing to speculate about who erected them, and when, and why.

We hope to get further insights from the next colloquium on September 18, when archaeologist Dr. J. Pendergast will present an account of the early history of this area up to 1700. From there, we shall be examining Lowell from various standpoints, with field trips and visits to several institutions, as we look into the evolution of our city and university up to the present day.

Now we are starting to make preparations for the Spring semester and are already looking ahead to the next 1996/97 academic year, when the Honors Program will extend further to include junior-year, specialized courses. Meanwhile, there is already one major event planned for the current academic year: on Tuesday, April 30, 1996 the second in an annual series of University of Massachusetts system Conferences on Undergraduate Research, Scholarly and Public Service Activities will be held on the Amherst campus. The first of these conferences, held at UMass Amherst on April 17 this year turned out to be an outstanding success. From Lowell, over 50 students participated and five of them were awarded prizes for their excellent work and presentation. We swept the board in the Physical Sciences and Engineering category; the five award recipients were Nicholas Demien, Richard Kaufman, Dave Kharas, Joseph P.



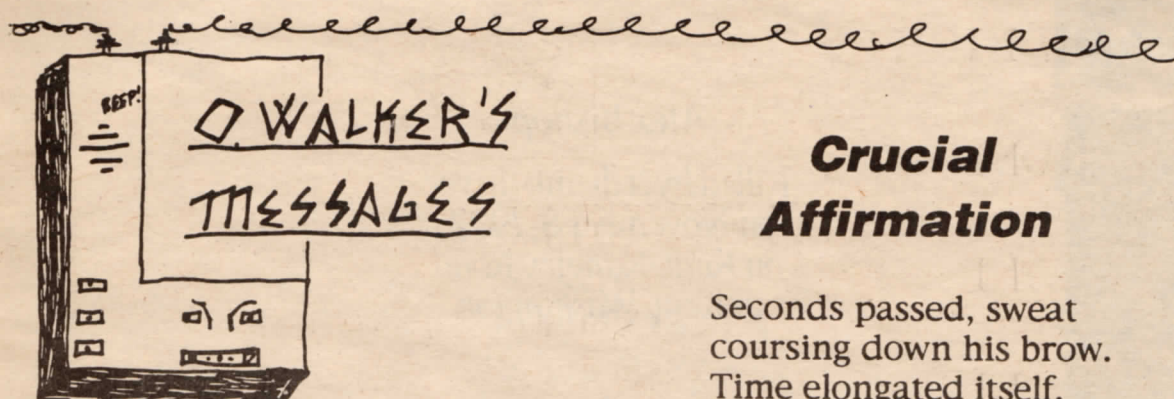
photo by: Eric Sheldon

The standing stones at LeBlanc Park, Lowell. The origin of this group is a mystery, still in dispute.

McInerney and Bill A Teynor. Let's see if we can improve on even this fine showing in the coming year. Although organized by the Honors Directors of the four campuses (Amherst, Boston, Dartmouth and Lowell), the event was open to all full-time undergraduate students (i.e. regular as well as Honors), and it proved to be impressive and enjoyable — so let's start thinking about projects that would be suitable to enter into this competition and show that Lowell has much to offer!

By the time this article appears, the reception for new Honors students to meet the Honors faculty will have taken place on Friday, September 15 in the North Campus Faculty Lounge at 4:00 - 5:30 p.m. and the bustle of the start-of-the-semester will have quieted down. But the Honors Program is geared up for exciting times, and the Freshman Honors Society (Alpha Lambda Delta) will soon be conducting its activities. If you'd like to know more about the opportunities that the Honors expe-

rience may offer and think that you might wish to participate, do get in touch with the Honors Director, Prof. Eric Sheldon (Physics, ext. 3779, Olney 137) or the Associate Honors Directors, Prof. Robert Kunzendorf (Psychology, ext. 3967, Mahoney 104B) and Prof. Eugene Mellican (Philosophy, ext. 2527, Olney 102D), or contact the Honors Advisor, Ms. Kimberly Vitchkoski (University College, ext. 2945, Southwick 303, North Campus).



Crucial Affirmation

Seconds passed, sweat coursing down his brow. Time elongated itself, becoming thinner, slower,

while the kid nervously clasped and unclasped his hands.

"Soon," he thought, "soon." He had rehearsed his part for hours last night, working feverishly from 7:00 pm until sometime around 4:30 am. After dry retching all morning, and then practicing some more, he felt a glimmer of hope for the first time.

The voice rang out. "Lardner!"

The word hit him with the force of a blow. His mind blanked and separated in two, half of it gibbering wildly.

"I can't do it," he thought.

"Lopez!"

Silence.

It was as if a black hood had been placed over his head. He understood the bliss that suicidal people must feel as they drown in deep waters.

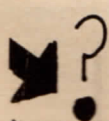
"Lopez."

What did it matter now? He was too far gone to ever go back.

"Lopez?"

All the long hours of training finally paid off. He felt confident, gargantuan in his ability to complete this task. He opened his mouth.

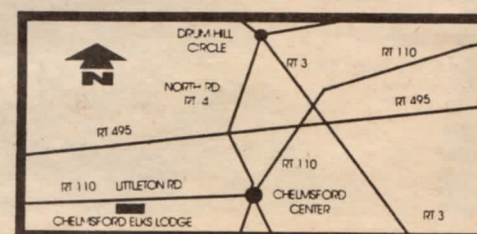
"Here?"



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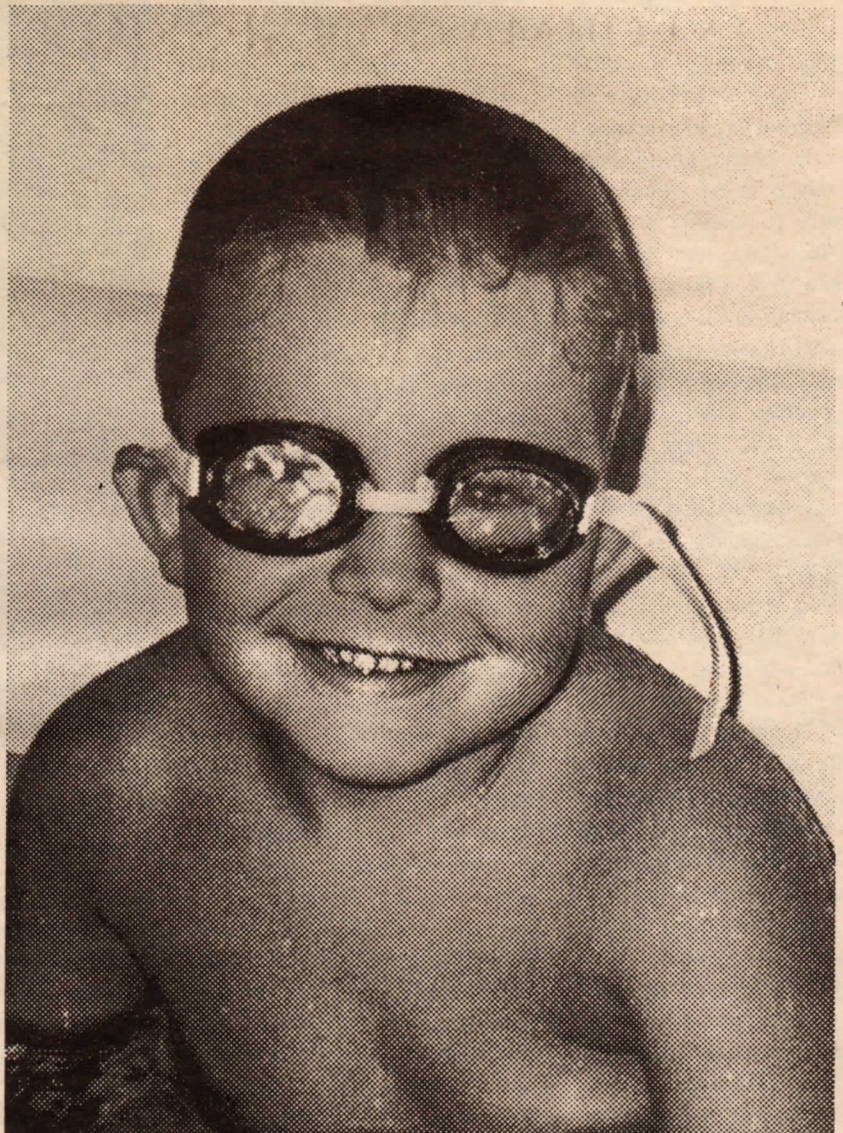
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APARTMENTS



Visiting grandma in California, 1992



Learning to swim in the tub, 1992



Boating vacation, San Juan Island, 1992

Alex Bishop.

*Killed by a drunk driver
on November 8, 1992,
on Kent-Kangley Road
in Kent, Washington.*

If you don't stop your friend from driving drunk, who will? Do whatever it takes.

FRIENDS DON'T LET FRIENDS DRIVE DRUNK.



U.S. Department of Transportation

INFORMATION SESSIONS

COMPANY	# OF STUDENTS	TIME
Abercrombie & Fitch	10	7 - 9 PM
Shiva Corp.	26	7 - 9 PM
Tofias, Fleishman, Shapiro	15	7 - 9 PM
Lockheed Sanders (Financial)	15	7 - 9 PM
Lockheed Sanders (Eng)	40	7 - 9 PM
Dow Chemical	15	7 - 9 PM
Arthur, Caturano & Co.	15	6 - 8 PM
Quantum	15	7 - 9 PM
General Dynamics	40	7 - 9 PM
Star Market	30	7 - 9 PM
Dow Chemical	15	7 - 9 PM

Pre-Screen Schedule

COMPANY	MAJOR REQUESTED	SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS	INTERVIEW DATE	PRE-SCREEN DEADLINE	
Cabletron	BS/MS-EE	Coop/Intern/ Full Time	Sept. 20		*
Champion International	Safety & Industrial Hygiene		Oct. 10	Sept. 28	
General Electric	NE,PL	Perm visa	Oct. 11 & 12	Sept. 28	
Shiva Corporation	Engineering		Oct. 12	Sept. 28	**
Lincoln Electric	CN,EE,ME,PL	Perm visa	Oct. 16 & 17	Sept. 28	
Star Market	Business & Liberal Arts	Management Trainee	Oct. 16	Sept. 28	
Dow Chemical	BS/MS-PL	Summer & Full-time Technical Sales	Oct. 17 & 19	Sept. 28	
EMC Corp.	BS/MS-EE MIS,CS		Oct. 17	Sept. 28	
John Hancock	Business & Liberal Arts	Sales Agent	Oct. 17	Sept. 28	
Tofias, Fleishman, Shapiro & Co.	BS-AC		Oct. 17	Sept. 28	**
Boston Technology	BS/MS- CS,EE		Oct. 17	Sept. 28	
Data General	BS/MS-CP,CS,EE	Hardware & Software	Oct. 18	Sept. 28	
Raytheon Corp. Elect.	BS/MS-EE		Oct. 18	Sept. 28	
Ford Motor Corp.	BS/MS-PL	Perm. Visa	Oct. 18	Sept. 28	
Lockheed Sanders	BS/MS-CS,EE IT,CP	U. S. Citizen	Oct. 19	Sept. 28	**
W.R. Grace Cryovac Div.	BS/MS -PL	U. S. Citizen	Oct. 19 & 20	Sept. 28	
SEER Technology	BS/MS-CS,EE MIS	Perm Visa	Oct. 20	Sept. 28	

* Cabletron Systems is having On-campus Information Session on 9/18/95 in Ball 301 from 11:30 AM - 3:00PM

** See Information Session Schedule for date and time of Information Session.

Who's Hiring Whom?

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*From Job Choices: 1996, National Association of Colleges and Employers, article "The Job Market for '96 Grads".

Service-sector companies who have already scheduled on-campus visits:

*Star Market *Osco Drug *American Frozen Foods
*John Hancock *NTW *Enterprise Rent-A-Car
*CVS *Prudential

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Josiah Van Vliet, of Leitch Hall, hangs out with Sierra Frank, not of Leitch Hall, (but we like her anyway!) on the Front Steps of Fox Hall on a beautiful Thursday afternoon.



"Pulp Fiction" Rocks South!

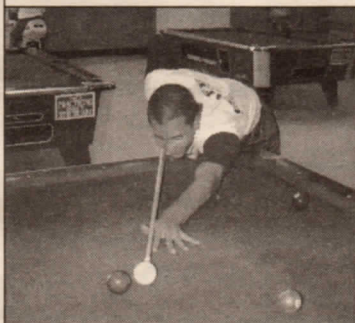
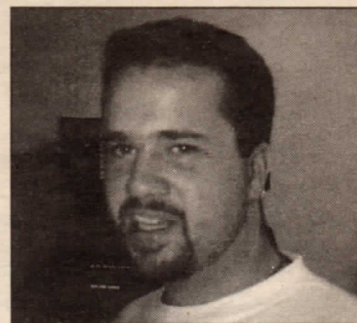
Big screen, awesome movie, surround sound, comfy blankets, and about 350 feet of speaker wire was the recipe for a successful Terrific Tuesday program last week. The movie 'Pulp Fiction' was the main ingredient for Outdoor Movie Night on the south campus softball field. Enough free snacks were provided for the planned attendance of 50 people, but because somewhere in the neighborhood of 150 to 200 turned out to sneak a peek, the snacks were gone before the movie began. Since there are only about 180 residents of Concordia and about 400 total residents on South, it goes without saying that the movie organizers were overwhelmed when so many people

stopped by. Despite the occasional technical difficulty and cold temps near the end of the movie, the crowd was exceptional and enjoyed the show. The movie organizers, Craig Nuttall, Sarah Coe, Rich Hubert, and the South Campus Residence Life staff thank those who attended for being a great audience. We try to come up with quality programs, we work hard, and we do them for you! More indoor and outdoor movie nights are planned for the future, as are a sensational line up of Terrific Tuesday programs. Rumor has it that there may be another intense Virtual Reality program planned for sometime in early November!

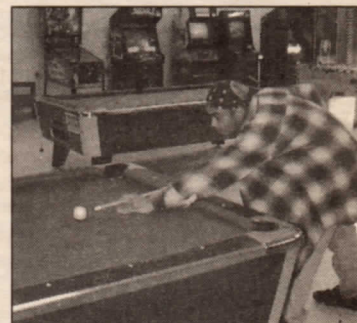
Service Spotlight

Welcome to the Fox Hall Student Information Center!

I'm Jeff Pierce, the director here, and I would like to let everyone know about the center here on Residential North. We're open Monday through Thursday, 12 to 10 pm, Fridays from 12 to 7 pm, and Saturdays, 5 to 8 pm. Look for our SIC fountains of campus information, Rick Santiago, Mark Barranco, Fritz "Frito" Rodene, Reuben Barrio, and Russ Porter, when you have a question about anything concerned with the university.



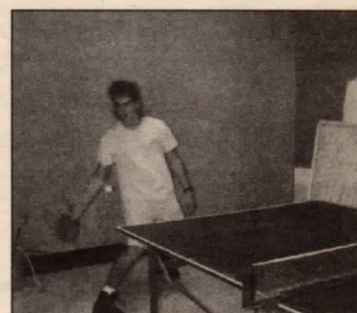
Tony Nguyen (right) and George Betti (left) practice their skills at one of the four pool tables in the Fox Hall game room



We have a change machine too!



Dave Gauthier and Mark Simmons of Leitch Hall get some practice at ping-pong (right), while two students enjoy the brand new motorcycle video games (left).



Ask The RA

The weekly advice column
for residential students

Want to be an RA?

The office of Residence Life will soon be holding an October search process to find energetic, involved students who wish to become resident advisors.

Applications can be picked up at the Office of University Life in Cumnock Hall from 9 A.M. to 5 P.M.

The only requirements are at least 1 semester of residence on campus and a GPA of at least 2.2.

Q. "I'm really having a tough time with my roommate. We were both good friends from high school, but we have very different lifestyles and I think we made a really big mistake choosing to be roommates."

A. That is a common realization for many students who end up moving in with their friends from high school. Depending on the severity of the disagreements, there are several solutions to roommate conflicts.

The two people involved must discuss what the desired outcome is. It may be that both are

willing to work for a better living situation, or it may be that each really wants to go his or her own way.

If the students want to stay as roommates, then the task is to work out the difficult situations. Often times a mediator, such as an RA or an RD, can help things run more smoothly. The first step is to sit down and explain how specific behaviors affect your ability to study, live comfortably and peacefully, etc.

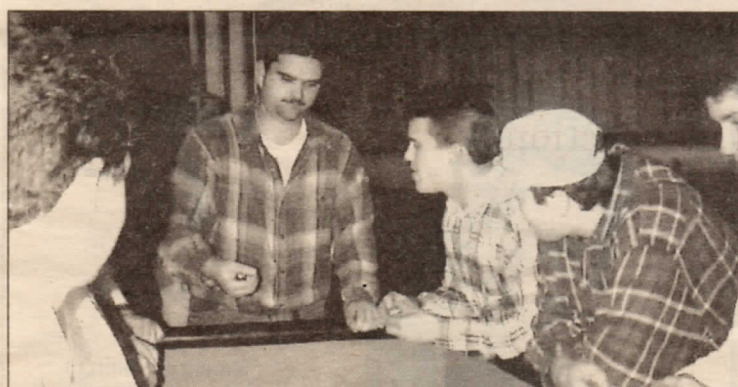
Once each person understands the specific behaviors of the other, the picture becomes clearer

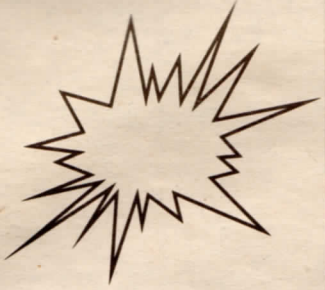
and all of the pieces can be laid on the table for calm discussion and negotiation.

If the situation is such that neither individual wants to room together, then a room change is a simple matter of filling out a room-change request form available from any RA. As there may not be an immediate opening available, it may be necessary to work out a temporary compromise until a room can be found.

As in any difficult situation, calm, rational thinking makes life easier for everyone involved.

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DIVERSITY UPDATE

In June, the Center for Diversity and Pluralism facilitated a discussion with various departments to organize efforts regarding international programs. Individuals who are currently involved or interested in international programs were invited to share their resources and insight on ways in which the University might facilitate studies abroad. The group discussed the importance of international programs for the cultural and academic exchange it provides. Council affiliates recently visited Puerto Rico to investigate networking possibilities and to discuss exchange programs between UMass Lowell and the University of Puerto Rico. If you are a student who has interest in international programs, please contact the Center.

For the past few months, the Center has been involved in the construction of the Diversity at UMass Lowell brochure/magazine that will be available this fall. This publication will highlight the events of 1994-1995 and will represent the divergent population of our University. Also, for information on programs, courses or activities that include diversity components, the Directory of Diversity Initiatives is currently being prepared for distribution and will also be available this fall.

In August, the Center for Diversity and Pluralism facilitated its first Professional Development Workshop on Diversity for staff who work directly with students. The workshop invited participants to learn about the increased diversity that currently exists at UMass Lowell as well as the variety of students that are likely to occur in the near future. Facilitators discussed the role of communication and conflict management efforts when dealing with students from various cultural, racial and ethnic backgrounds.

Throughout the summer, the Center for Diversity and Pluralism worked to close the 1994-1995 Seed Grant cycle. All recipients of Seed Grant funding are required to submit Final Reports documenting the effectiveness of their programs. This year we are hoping to see more activities and programs proposed by and for students.

If you are interested in any of the activities listed above, please contact the Center for Diversity and Pluralism. Due to drastic reductions in staff, we no longer have the capacity to provide outreach to students as we have done in the past. We look forward to seeing you and don't forget to bring your ideas!

Join the Connector!!!

Meetings - Tuesday Nights

Fox Hall Rm. 426

6:30 p.m.

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This being a discussion involving a high stakes battle involving controversy in television's most glamorous sport, it should come as no surprise that the main player is none other than promoter Don King. Outdoing even himself, King sent the sports world reeling by displaying the lengths he will go to vanquish the opposition.

King's latest conquest began when he locked horns with long time adversaries HBO and promoter Bob Arum over a November 4th fight engagement. HBO's scheduled heavyweight showdown between Evander Holyfield and Riddick Bowe was scarcely enough to prevent King from announcing plans to have Mike Tyson beat up on Buster Mathis Jr. that same night.

The actions of Don King are seldom without interest, but the decision to declare total war with one-time ally HBO was nonetheless singular. Former champ Holyfield is one of the sport's true competitors, and in Bowe he faces a gifted opponent, never to be underestimated.

But Tyson is the most dominating presence in boxing, perhaps ever. Without entering into a lengthy discourse on his character, it may be said that despite a rape conviction and prison term (or perhaps because of it), Tyson is riding an unprecedented surge in popularity.

How big is the fighter?

His comeback fight (broadcast by King's pay-per-view company) brought in some \$96 million in revenue worldwide, without a quality opponent. The distinction of being stomped by Tyson was enough to land Peter McNeely an endorsement deal with Pizza Hut, though he may be more qualified as a spokesperson for "Pork-the other white meat".

Don King was only too aware of Tyson's worth when he lured the young heavyweight from those who guided him on the road to becoming champ. He was aware of it through the fighter's troubles, and he was aware of it when he refused to back down from HBO. But no one expected the stalemate to end as it did.

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Aries: (Mar. 21-Apr. 19) It's time to take action. Draft a letter to the government stating how sick you are of obeying oppressive industrial safety warnings.

Taurus: (Apr. 20-May 20) You will pick up a rumpled bag lying on the grass, and without looking inside first, you'll empty its entire contents into your mouth.

Gemini: (May 21-June 21) The spotlight rests on domestic and monetary questions, so pay no heed to your failing health and chronic B.O.

Cancer: (June 22-July 22) Life imitates art when an escaped gorilla crashes your backyard party, sending guests headlong into the pool.

Leo: (July 23-Aug. 22) Your charitable contribution to the community youth center will be used to purchase guns and heroin.

Virgo: (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) A good time to rethink personal goals will come when you're hauled away screaming to the nuthouse.

Libra: (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) A return

to a strict puritanical code results in the tragic witch-burning of a kindly neighbor.

Scorpio: (Oct. 24-Nov. 21) For a cheap alternative to expensive perfumes, scrape off the dried shaving cream collecting on the spout of the can and smear it on your nether regions.

Sagittarius: (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) Travel will figure prominently when you're arrested for a series of kidnappings. Enjoy the prison food while you still have teeth.

Capricorn: (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Some people are "day" people and others are "night" people. You're a "cream soda" person.

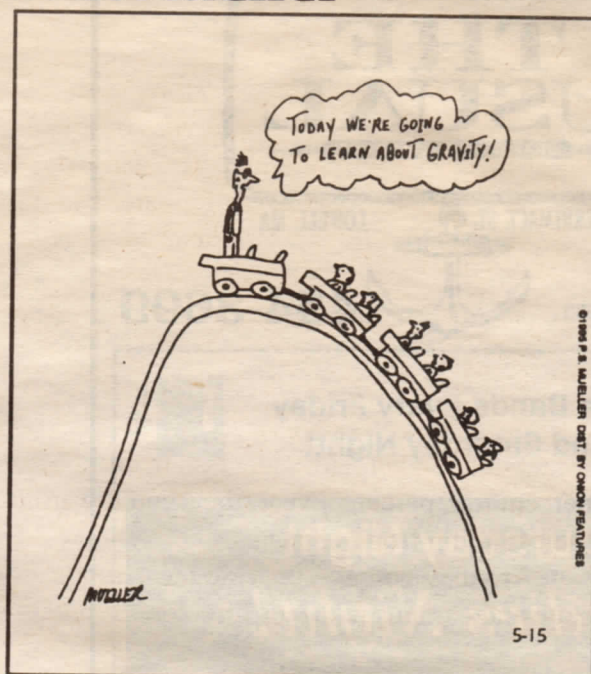
Aquarius: (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Communication is important to a relationship, so don't tear out your lover's vocal cords.

Pisces: (Feb. 19-Mar. 20) A short man in Lederhosen will spray you with a garden hose.

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State Spending For Public Universities Steadies

By Elissa Leibowitz
College Press Service

WASHINGTON—State governments are seeing extra dollar signs in their bank accounts lately, but they are not sharing as much of that wealth with their public universities.

Although state spending on higher education has steadied nationwide, other state services—mostly Medicaid and the prison system—are benefiting more from the states' recent revenue upswings, according to the annual report by the American Association of State Colleges and Universities (AASCU).

Public university officials worry that a predicted downturn in state economies and the decreased attention to the universities could threaten financial aid, tuition costs and overall access to a college degree, the AASCU report states.

States have thin safety nets for reserves, and even those experiencing good times this year could take a downturn as early as next year, which Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan and other economists have forecast. Coupled with increases in enrollment over the next 15 years and an average tuition increase of 3 percent to 6 percent a year, the trend toward less state-support troubles public universities, which get about half their funding from the states.

"Are they going to provide more funds, or are we going to limit access?" said John Hammang, AASCU's state and campus relations director. "It potentially could mean not very good things for the higher education establishments."

States now are more fiscally sound than in recent years, with an average 4.9 percent increase in their budgets. State spending on higher education has increased by 4.2 percent—a "respectable rise," according to the report, "but still troublesome when shown against the backdrop of declining state support for higher education."

"So much of the state budgets are beyond (politicians' control)," Paul Rahmeier, associate vice chancellor for instruction at the University of Massachusetts-Lowell, said in an interview. "Higher education is one (expenditure) they've been able to cut without being politically punished."

Nationwide, state grant aid to students increased by an average of 12.6 percent from 1992-93 to 1993-94, but the increases were uneven across the states. Five states averaged increases of 17 percent or more while all other states averaged 5.1 percent, according to the AASCU.

Among the annual report's other findings:

- The average undergraduate cost of tuition and fees at a public institution was \$2,590 for the fall of 1994. This is a 6.1 percent rise from the previous year.
- Room and board charges increased 3.6 percent from fall 1993 to fall 1994.
- States awarded nearly \$3 billion in aid last year, at an average of \$963 a student.

AASCU President James B. Appleberry interviewed legislators nationwide and said they generally agree that a college degree benefits the individual more than the public. Politicians said they feel the "user," or the student, then, should pay more of the cost of that education and not rely as much on financial aid. And by cutting back the amount of money funding colleges, they can "avoid the ire of the taxpayer," he said.

"I would say in recent years there's been a move in the public attitude," Rahmeier added. "Higher education was seen as a public good, but now it's more likely to be seen as a private good. Some people think this is extremely short-sighted."

What this means for students is that they may face the greatest threat ever to earning their college degree, Appleberry said. They are more dependent on student loans, which have obstacles of their own to hurdle in Congress. They are more likely to work longer hours, which also jeopardizes a quick graduation.

And enrollment, which dropped about 1 percent in 1993 for the first time since 1986, is on the rise again. The National Center for Education Statistics predicts that 15.9 million students will be enrolled in colleges and

universities by the year 2004.

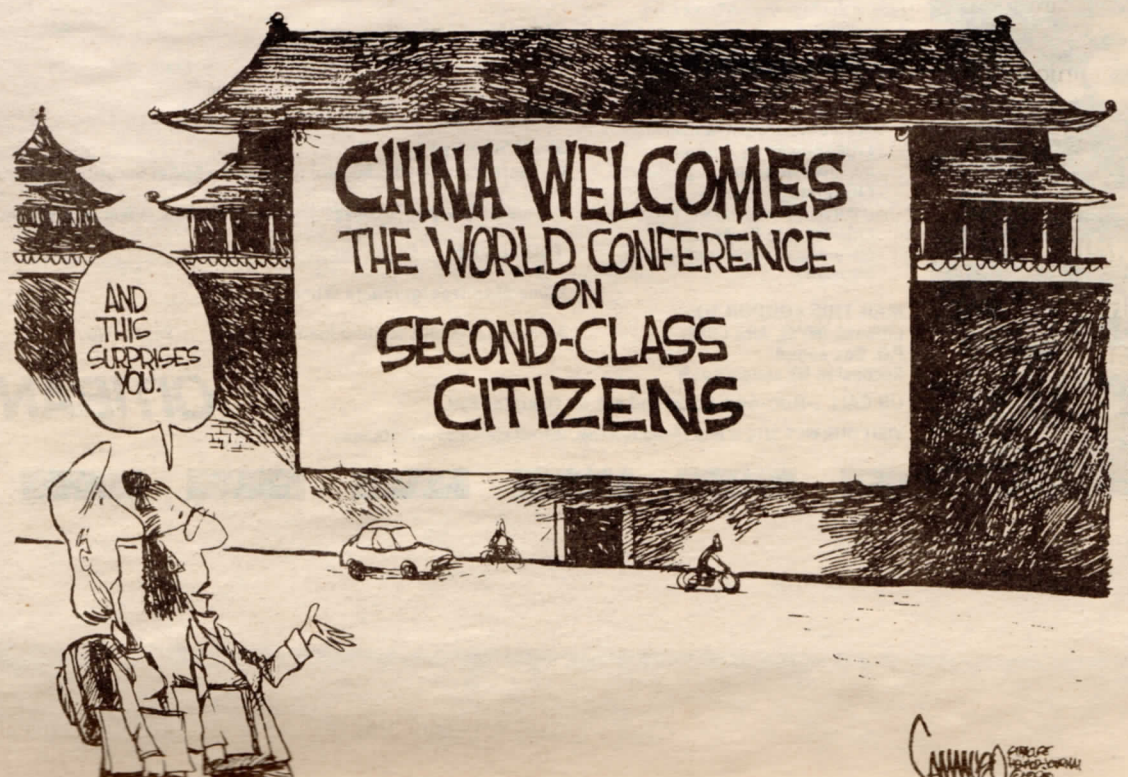
Students, therefore, may face greater competition for fewer financial aid dollars to pay for a higher cost tuition, the report said.

Recognizing this, students are beginning to seek degrees at lower-cost institutions, Hammang said. Nearly 32 percent of freshmen said they chose their college based on low tuition and financial aid offers.

"That's far more affordable than worrying about \$25,000 or \$30,000 a year tuitions," he said.

And students continue to work. At UMass-Lowell, for instance, almost all the students "are literally sweating their way" through school, Rahmeier said.

"It makes them very serious and very responsible," he said. "They accept the responsibility for their education. They can truly say they earned it."



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Women's Field Hockey ties it up with Fitchburg State
by Patrick Comeau

It was an overcast day last Thursday at the South Campus Field Hockey Complex, and the River Hawks (1-1-3) would have to shine if they expected to defeat 3-1 Fitchburg State College. The fire in the eyes of the players told the story: they wanted the win. The early-game aggressiveness of Anne Perriello and Julie Ward on defense carried the play for Lowell and kept the ball in the Fitchburg State zone.

Within the first five minutes of the game, Kathy Longworth made a crisp pass to Shannon LeBlanc, who went about riffling the ball past the hopeless Fitchburg State goalie. It took Fitchburg barely a minute to come back to tie the game with a goal of their own. It was then that Lowell Coach Katrina King really started to push the troops. With her sports jacket now tossed on the ground, coach King began stalking the sidelines, shouting words of inspiration to her valiant troops.

With sixteen minutes left in the first half and the score still tied at 1, Shannon LeBlanc again entered the picture, with a nice pass to streaking Sally Clark, who put in Lowell's second goal of the game. As pleased as coach King was, she quickly reminded her team of how quickly Fitchburg responded to their first goal, and got her team to settle down and

remain focused on the mission at hand: to win.

Lowell controlled play for most of the second half, before letting Fitchburg tie the game late in the half. The game officially ended in a tie, but the teams decided to settle the game on the field, agreeing to play a 15-minute sudden death overtime period. In overtime, neither team could capitalize on the limited scoring chances they had, and the game went into a second overtime period. The critical play of the period came when Lowell was called for roughing and Fitchburg was awarded a penalty shot. But, Kerry Dudley, Lowell's star goalie, was up to the challenge and turned away the shot, allowing play to continue. As time was running out in the second overtime period, two Fitchburg forwards broke free and had a two-on-one with Dudley, who couldn't come up with the save in the near impossible conditions.

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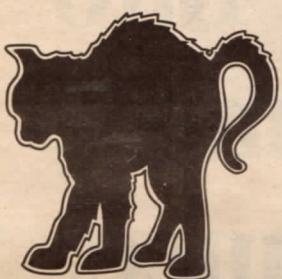
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of students, faculty, administrators, and community people. If you are interested in finding out more about our efforts, contact Dr. John Bayliss in the Counseling Center (ext. 4331).

The exchanged t-shirts by the way, will be recycled as rags at the task force's car wash during alcohol awareness week in mid-October. Look for more about the AOD Task Force in next week's Connector.

Career Services: A New Look and a New Attitude

Lisa Schurga
News Editor

The Career Center, located in 200 Southwick Hall, will now be known as Career Services. Not only is the office changing its name, it will also be changing its look and adding many new services for UMass Lowell students.

One of the newest additions to Career Services is the director, Patricia Yates. Yates, only on the job for one week, is already hard at work setting up meetings and finding ways to improve every aspect of the office. Although new to UMass Lowell, Yates is not new to this type of position. She was the Director of Cooperative Education and Associate Director of Career Services for the past nine years at Suffolk University. "I bring a vision as to where we are headed," Yates said. "I feel that I am aware of the technology that is out there."

The Career Office already offers many services, such as career counseling, resume assistance, and listings of current job opportunities. The type of technology Yates is speaking of includes Internet access to job listings for UMass Lowell students and alum-

ni, a computer lab for resume and letter writing, a fax service and an enhanced career library. "We will be close to the cutting edge," said Yates.

One program by Academic Software called First Place will help students develop resumes and letters and will teach job-search techniques. Students will be able to put their resumes on the computer where future employers can look and find a match to what they are looking for. "Students will have 24-hour access to the job search," added Yates.

As far as the physical changes, walls will be torn down to make room for desks, computers, books, directories and job listings. It is hoped that these renovations will make students feel more comfortable and will make the job- or internship- search process easier.

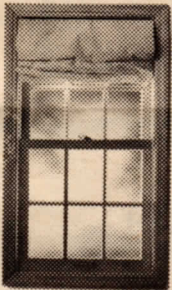
Other employees at Career Services are Assistant Director Jake Burke, who will be actively developing new employer relationships; Rachel Godfrey, who will be involved with the on- and off-campus recruiting program; and student worker Elaine Seidel who will assist with workshops, student outreach and resume checks.

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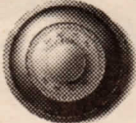
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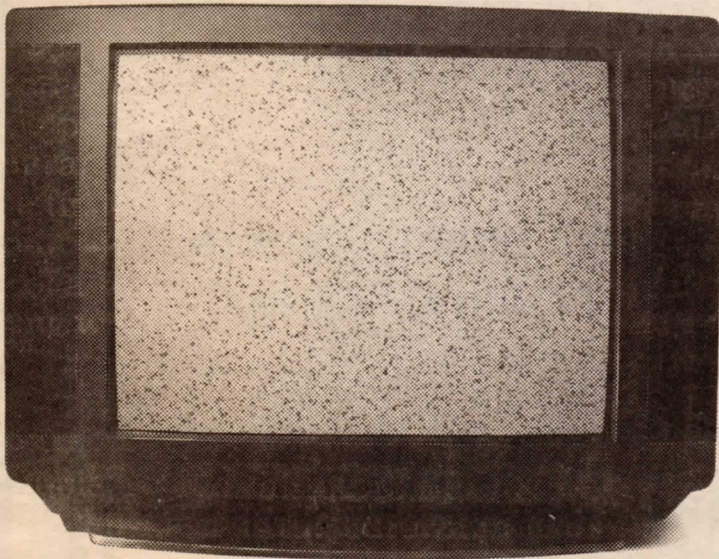
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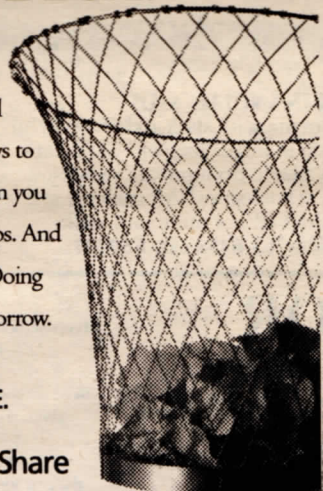
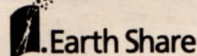
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LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Women's Tennis (0-1)

9-16 UML 0.....Springfield 6

Field Hockey (1-3-1)

9-7 UML 1.....Plymouth State 2
9-10 UML 3.....Southern Conn. 2 (OT)
9-12 UML 0.....Salem State 0
9-16 UML 0.....Bloomsburg 4
9-17 UML 0.....East Stroudsburg 4

Volleyball (3-6)

9-12 UML 2.....Holy Cross 3
9-15 UML 0.....Dowling 3
9-16 UML 0.....Lock Haven 3
9-16 UML 3.....Bentley 1

Men's Soccer (0-5-0)

9-9 UML 1.....Stonehill 3
9-12 UML 3.....Bentley 4 (OT)
9-14 UML 2.....Fitchburg State 4
9-16 UML 0.....Saint Anselm 2

Women's Soccer (0-4-0)

9-9 UML 1.....Bentley 3
9-11 UML 0.....WPI 1
9-14 UML 1.....Stonehill 4
9-16 UML 0.....Saint Anselm 7

Football (0-2)

9-16 UML 7.....Norwich 35

Constantine Lifts Women's Soccer to first victory

by Patrick
Comeau

This past Tuesday, Saint Rose College made the long trek from New York for their meeting with the River Hawk women's soccer team at Cushing field. This was the River Hawks second home game of the year and they were still looking to grab their first win in the school's history.

Coach Sauter said that one of the most important things for his young team was to go out and get the first goal. Thanks to Karen Cotter, they did just that. Cotter, who plays defense, stole the ball from a Saint Rose forward in Lowell's defensive zone and proceeded

to bring the ball up the sideline by herself, before making a nice centering pass to Jennifer Constantine, who drilled a shot in between two Saint Rose defenders for the first goal of the game, and the first goal of Constantine's career.

Right before the end of the first half, Saint Rose had a sure tying goal on a breakaway if not for the great save made by Heather Ross, who has been a wall in front of the net all season.

As the second half began, Lowell continued to carry the play to Saint Rose, with Michelle Cassavanaugh hitting Constantine in front of the net, who put the ball past the stunned Saint Rose goalie for a 2-0 lead. The game got a little tense when Saint Rose finally found a

way to get the ball past Ross, to make the score 2-1.

Coach Sauter's fears of win #1 slipping away were quickly put to rest when Constantine put the game away with her third goal, making the final score 3-1. Saint Rose picked up their level of play over the final 10 minutes of the game, but were shut down by the defensive play of Melissa Hunt and Marion Culhane.

Coach Sauter was understandably pleased with the first win in women's soccer history here at Lowell, but did manage to keep things in perspective, saying "They capitalized on scoring first and attacked on defense, two reasons why they won the game."

Sex discrimination suit filed against Pitino

College Press Service

Lexington, Ky.—The former men's basketball trainer at the University of Kentucky has filed a sex discrimination lawsuit against head coach Rick Pitino, claiming the highly successful coach demoted her so he could fire an old friend to fill her position.

Last May, JoAnn Hauser was transferred from her training position with the men's team to the same role with the women's team. Hauser, however, refused to accept the transfer, claiming Pitino ordered the move so he could hire Edward Jamiel, a former colleague from Pitino's coaching days at Providence College, for the men's training position.

Hauser's lawsuit, which includes Athletic Director C.M. Newton, the Kentucky Athletic Association and the university, states that her refusal to work as the women's trainer created a "hostile working environment" for Hauser and affected her job performance, finally forcing her to quit her position in June.

Once Hauser left, Jameil stepped in as the men's basketball trainer.

Although the lawsuit does not identify the speakers, it lists comments made by university employees to Hauser that indicated gender preference, including, "It's more natural for a woman to do women's sports, and a man to do men's sports."

The suit also alleges that Pitino said, "I do not want any more women involved in the men's basketball program."

UK officials released a statement denying any discrimination. "We treated Ms. Hauser fairly, and we offered her many opportunities, including continued employment as the men's basketball trainer," said Carl Nathe, a university spokesperson.

Hauser, who came to the men's team as a graduate assistant athletic trainer in 1986, was promoted to head trainer in 1991.

Pitino, who hired Bernadette Locke-Mattox as a UK assistant coach in 1991, making her the first on a Division I men's team, has yet to comment on charges.

Penn State Basketball Coach Bruce Parkhill Resigns

State College, Pa. (CPS) - Penn State basketball coach Bruce Parkhill, one of college basketball's most determined figures, has decided to call it quits.

Citing loss of passion for his job, Parkhill, 46, announced his decision to leave the basketball team before the 1995-96 season begins. Parkhill had coached the Nittany Lions since 1983.

"I just haven't enjoyed coaching as much as I used to. I've been contemplating this decision for the past seven or eight years, but each summer I got rejuvenated and came back," Parkhill said at the press conference announcing his retirement. "I just didn't have the same enthusiasm for the job."

Athletic director Tim Curley said Parkhill will be replaced by Jerry Dunn, Parkhill's longtime assistant.

While Parkhill said he has no plans to return to coaching, he will remain on as assistant athletic director.

Although Penn State became a member of the Big Ten last season, Parkhill spent most of his 12 seasons recruiting for a basketball team without any conference affiliation - an often difficult task for college coaches. Despite that hindrance, Parkhill compiled a 181-169 record and enjoyed five 20-victory seasons, as well as a berth in the NCAA tournament and two trips to the final four of the NIT.

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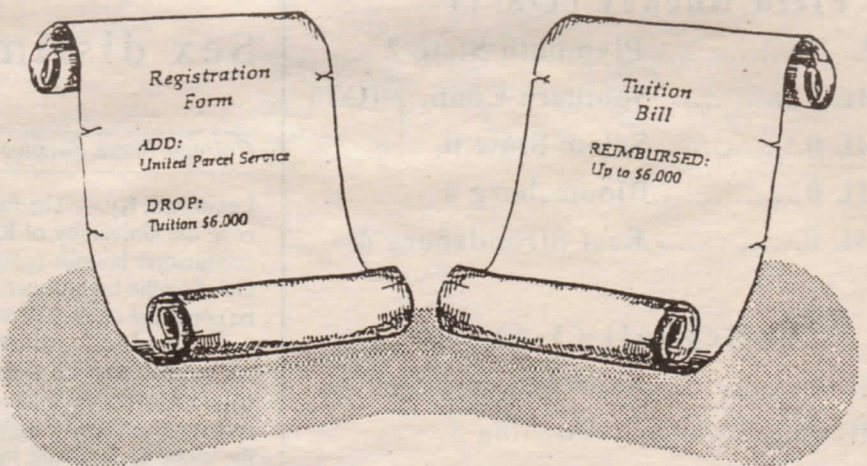
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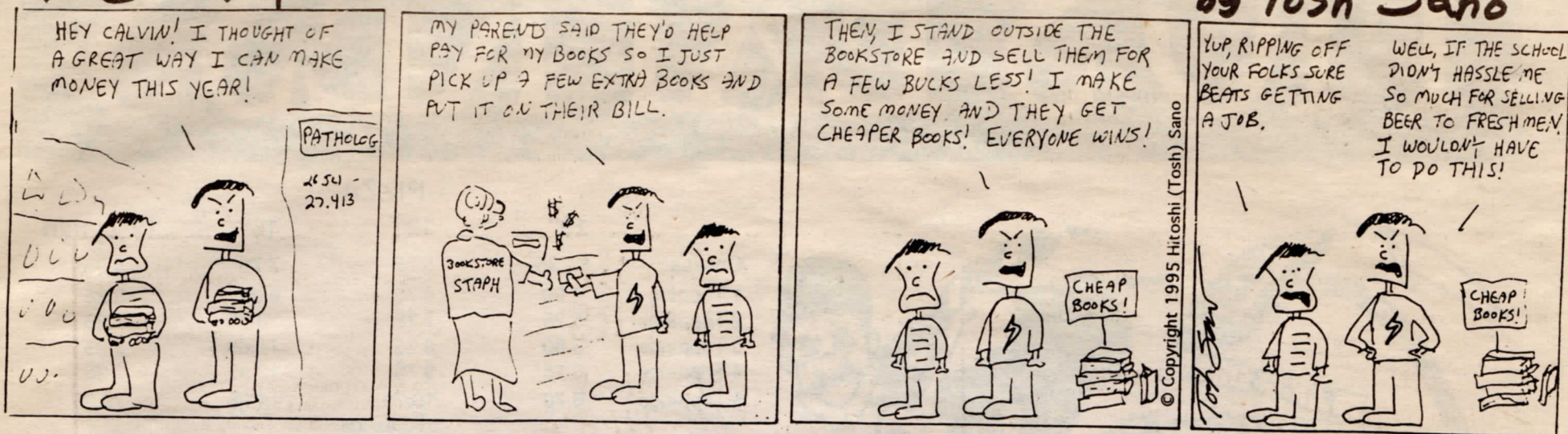
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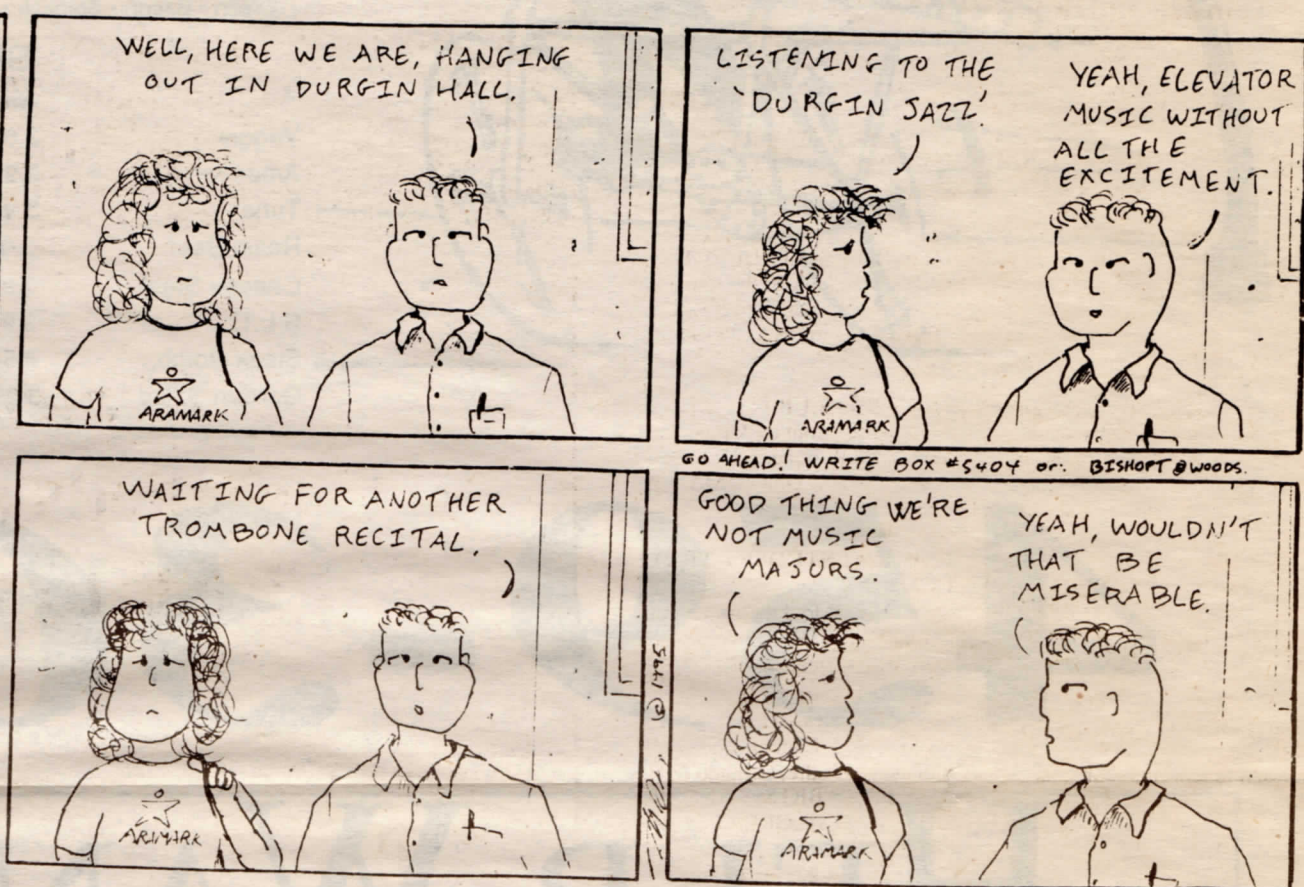
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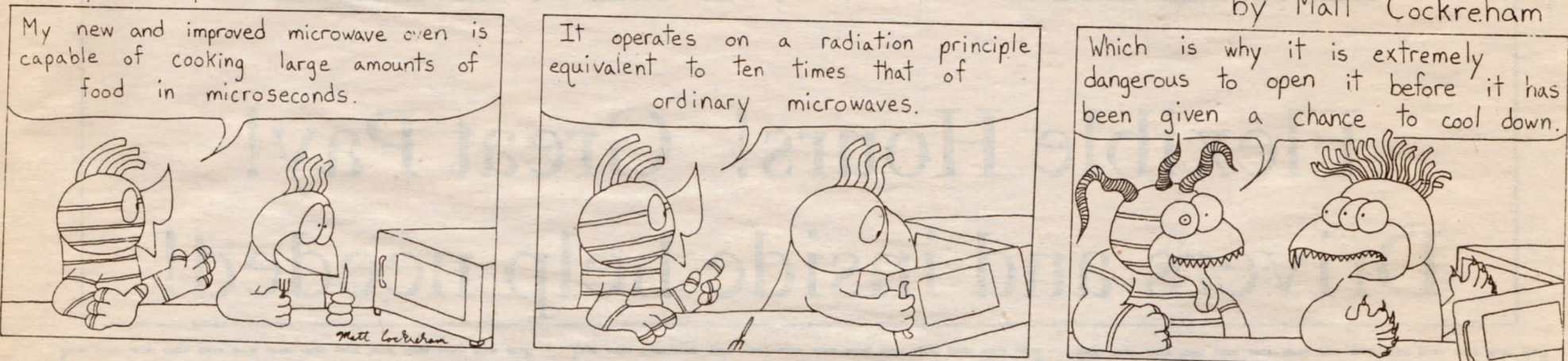
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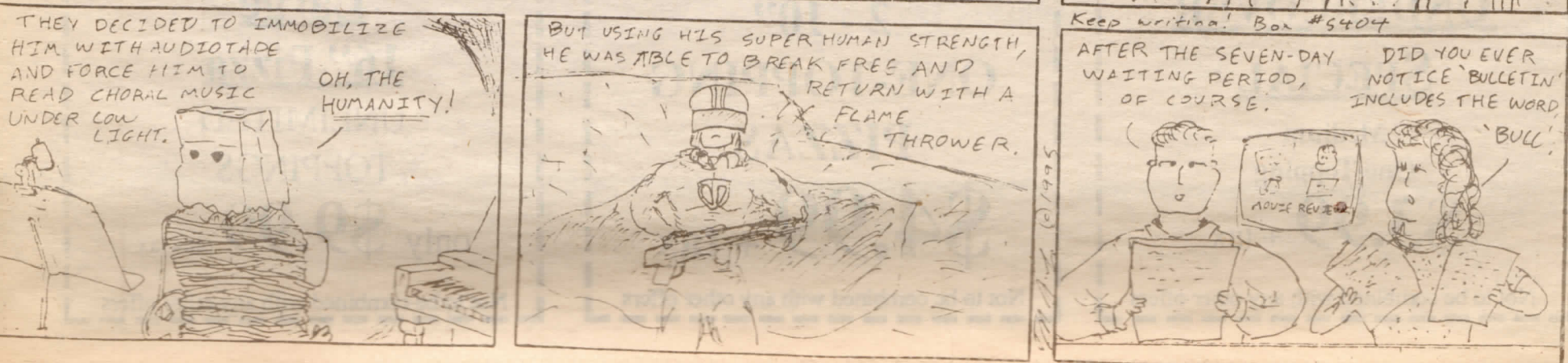
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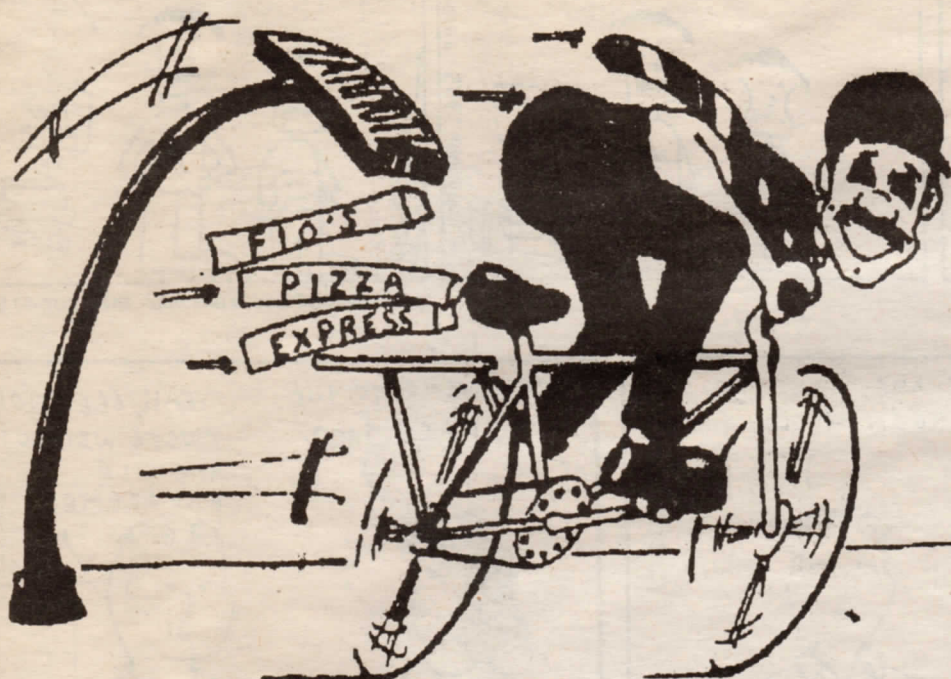
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